## CLAIMS

What is claimed as being new and desired to be protected by LETTERS PATENT of the United States is as follows:

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1. A wire measuring system for ensuring a proper length of wire prior to cutting comprising, in combination:

a circular housing having a handle radially secured thereto, the circular housing having a hollow interior including an exit slot formed therein;

a length of tape disposed within the hollow interior of the circular housing, the length of tape having incremental measurements imprinted thereon, the length of tape having a free end extending outwardly of the exit slot of the circular housing; and

a tip portion swively coupled with the free end of the length of tape, the tip portion having a slot formed therethrough for receiving a free end of a length of wire therethrough.

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2. A wire measuring system for ensuring a proper length of wire prior to cutting comprising, in combination:

a housing having a handle secured thereto, the housing having a hollow interior including an exit slot formed therein;

a length of tape disposed within the hollow interior of the housing, the length of tape having incremental measurements

imprinted thereon, the length of tape having a free end extending outwardly of the exit slot of the housing; and

a tip portion swively coupled with the free end of the length of tape, the tip portion having a slot formed therethrough for receiving a free end of a length of wire therethrough.